ANCHE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 404—247. *The 20th December* 1888.

The following Postal Notice issued by the Assistant Director-General of the Post Offices of India, is published for the information of the public.

B. MURRY GUNGIAH,
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POSTAL NOTICE.

Reduction of Postage rates on Parcels exchanged with the United-Kingdom through the British Post Office.

With effect from the 1st January 1889, the rates of postage for parcels not exceeding 11 lbs. in weight and addressed to the United-Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland will be reduced as shown below :—

	Present rate.	Rates from 1st Jan. 1889.
For the *first* pound or fraction thereof ..	As. 8	As. 8
For every *subsequent* pound or fraction of a pound ..	,, 8	,, 6

2. Parcels exceeding 11 lbs. but not exceeding 50 lbs. in weight will be forwarded to the United-Kingdom as usual through the medium of the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company, the rate of postage for such parcels remaining, as at present, at eight annas for every lb. pound or fraction of a lb. pound.

No. 406—249. *The 20th December* 1888.

The following Postal Notice issued by the Assistant Director-General of the Post Offices of India, is published for the information of the public.

POSTAL NOTICE.

Reduction of Postage rates on Parcels exchanged with Aden and Zanzibar.

With effect from the 1st January 1889, the rates of postage for parcels, not exceeding 11 lbs. in weight, exchanged between India on the one hand and Aden and Zanzibar on the other, or between Aden and Zanzibar, will be reduced as shown below :—

Parcels not exceeding 11 lbs. in weight.

	Present rates.	Rates from 1st Jan. 1889.
For the *first* pound or fraction thereof	As. 8	As. 8
For every *subsequent* pound or fraction of a pound ..	,, 8	,, 6

2. The rates of postage for parcels exceeding 11 lbs. but not exceeding 50 lbs. in weight remain, as at present, at eight annas for every pound or fraction of a pound.

No. 417—253. *The 2nd January* 1889.

The following Postal Notice issued by the Assistant Director-General of the Post Offices of India, is published for the information of the public.

POSTAL NOTICE.

Reduction of Postage rates on Parcels exchanged with the United-Kingdom through the British Post Office.

With effect from the 1st January 1889, the rates of postage for parcels not exceeding 11 lbs. in weight and addressed to the United-Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland will be reduced as shown below :—

	Present rate. As.	Rates from 1st January 1889. As.
For the *first* pound or fraction thereof ..	8	8
For every *subsequent* pound or fraction of a pound ..	8	6

2. Parcels exceeding 11 lbs. but not exceeding 50 lbs. in weight will be forwarded to the United-Kingdom as usual through the medium of the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company, the rate of postage for such parcels remaining, as at present, at eight annas for every pound or fraction of a pound.

No. 419—255. *The 2nd January* 1889.

The following Postal Notice issued by the Assistant Director-General of the Post Offices of India, is published for the information of the public.

POSTAL NOTICE.

The following table furnishes information regarding the arrivals and departures of the principal Mail Steamers during the first few weeks of the year 1889.

2. The twentieth edition (1889) of the "Calendar of Mail Steamer Departures from Bombay, &c.," will shortly be published, and will contain further and more complete information. Copies of the Calendar, when published, can be obtained through any Post Office. The price of the Calendar is 4 annas per copy.

Mails for Europe and America.

		Fridays.
Leave Bombay ..	January	4, 11, 18, 25.
	February	1, 8, 15, 22.
	March	1, 8, 15, 22, 29.

Mails from Europe and America.

		Mondays.
Due to arrive at Bombay ..	January	7, 14, 21, 28.
	February	4, 11, 18, 25.
	March	4, 11, 18, 25.

Mails for the Australasian Colonies, China, the Straits and Japan.

		Thursdays.
Leave Bombay ..	January	3, 17, 31.
	February	14, 28.
	March	14, 28.

Note.—The time tables of this service not having yet been received, it has been assumed that the steamers will leave on the dates shown, though they may sail one day later.

Rangoon Mail Steamers.

Mails are despatched from Calcutta to Rangoon and Moulmein every Wednesday and Saturday; the Wednesday despatches are however postponed till Thursday when the inward English mails do not arrive in Calcutta before Thursday.

Mails are despatched from Rangoon to Calcutta every Saturday during the fair season, and from Moulmein to Calcutta (direct) every Wednesday.

Karachi Mail Steamers.

Mails are despatched from Bombay to Karachi direct every Sunday, and *viâ* the coast ports every Thursday during the fair season: the Sunday despatches are however postponed till Monday when the inward English mails do not arrive in Bombay before Monday.

Mails are despatched from Karachi to Bombay every Wednesday (direct) and Friday (*viâ* the coast ports) during the fair season.

Port Blair Steamers.

		Friday.
Leave Calcutta ..	January	11.
	February	8.
	March	8.

Note.—These dates are subject to alteration.